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**Goal:** Reduce or eliminate the use of products hazardous to the environment and increase conservation of natural resources

**Objective:** To be compliant with Executive Order 03-02 and set the example for other state agencies

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Team Members: Regina Kilby, John Sanders, Randy Graham,

Donn Lewis, Shannon Sullivan

**Strategy Name: Sustainability Plan** 

**Strategy Description & Purpose**: In accordance with Governor's Directive 02-03, develop a plan to increase the use of environmentally friendly products, services and practices. Implement the plan and report measurements.

**Start Date (first task date):** 

**Estimated Completion Date:** Infinite

**Resources Needed:** Staff time researching, tracking, and monitoring products, processes and progress; \$\$ for the additional cost of some items and equipment

Customers: Staff, veterans

## **Measurement/Indicator reflecting Identified Improvement:**

- Number of environmentally-friendly products used
- · Amount of paper used
- Amount of gasoline used/miles traveled
- Meet the criteria for Silver LEEDs certification in constructing the new 240-bed facility

Stakeholders: The world

## **Measurement/Indicator/Evidence Reflecting Successful Completion:**

- Increase the use of environmentally-friendly products 10%
- Decrease amount of paper used 10%
- Decrease the use of gasoline/miles traveled 10%
- Achieve Silver LEEDs Certification of new 240-bed facility

**Risks Of Not Completing This Project:** Not meeting the goals of the Governor's Executive Order and agency's Performance Agreement, long-term impacts on the environment and health

Impacts/Benefits Of Successful Completion: A cleaner environment and conserved resources for future generations

**Describe Constraints To Completion:** Cost of some environmentally-friendly products, additional staff time to research products and processes, staff time involved in implementing processes that may take longer, but save resources, videoconferencing problems unresolved.

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Plans to Address Constraints: Obtain Management Team buy-in on additional costs of products, spread the task assignments to more
staff to take less time from any one person, resolve videoconferencing operations problems

**Executive Sponsor's Review:** 

Approving Authority's Signature to Proceed:

Major Tasks	Task Owner	Estimated Start Date	Estimated Completio n Date	Status or Next report date	Progress Status to Date
Develop Sustainability Plan	A. Harris	9/2/03	9/15/03		Completed
Management Team approval	Alvarado	9/12/03	9/12/03		Pending Mgt. Team meeting 9/30/03
Develop Action Plan	A. Harris	9/12/03	9/30/03		Draft completed – submit for approval 9/30/03
Conduct research on current practices	A. Harris, Graham, Kilby, Lewis	9/2/03	Ongoing		In progress
Monitor progress on LEEDs certification	Condra	1/03	1/05		In progress
Develop baseline measures	A. Harris	09/03	1/04		In progress
Status report to Governor's office	A. Harris, Baugh	10/7/03	10/15/03		
Governor's Performance Agreement report	A. Harris, Baugh	10/31/03	7/31/04		
Research and adopt additional sustainable practices	A. Harris	1/04	4/04		
Educate staff via e-mail, staff meetings	A. Harris	10/03	Ongoing		
Yearly reports to Governor's office	A. Harris, Baugh	10/04	Yearly		